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Alan Lloyd, Ph.D. Secretary,
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RE: Greenhouse Gas Emission Reduction Leadership Policy

Dear Secretary Alan Lloyd:

Last year, the State of California established, at the initiative of Governor Schwarzenegger, greenhouse gas (GHG) reduction targets for the state.

On behalf of the *Global Warming Action Campaign*, I write you now asking for your support for the Governor's proposed greenhouse gas reduction targets.

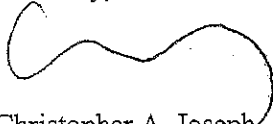
The targets announced by Governor Schwarzenegger in June 2005 call for a reduction of GHG emission levels to 2000 levels by 2010; a reduction of GHG emissions to 1990 levels by 2020; and a reduction of GHG emissions to 80% below 1990 levels by 2050.

Prior to announcing these targets independent assessments had determined that they were practical, achievable and cost effective goals.

These GHG reductions targets are designed to address the threat of global warming which could have profoundly adverse impacts on the state including reducing our quality and supply of water from the Sierra snowpack, exacerbating air quality problems, and increasing or creating health problems by increasing heat stress and related deaths, the incidence of infectious disease, and asthma and other respiratory diseases.

Please support the leadership role the State of California is taking in this nation to address climate protection and support the GHG reduction targets set forth in Governor Schwarzenegger's Executive Order S-3-05.

Sincerely,



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